

**Title 2, Division 3, Chapter 1**  
**Article 4.5. Ballast Water Management for Control of Nonindigenous Species**

Section 2270. Ballast water Management and Control; Definitions

For purposes of this Article, the following definitions shall apply.

- (a) "Voyage" means any transit by a vessel destined for any California port from a port or place outside the EEZ, including intermediate stops at a port or place within the EEZ. For the purposes of this section, a transit by a vessel from a United States port to any other United States port, if at any time the vessel operates outside the EEZ or equivalent zone of Canada, is also a voyage.
- (b) "EEZ" means exclusive economic zone, which extends from the baseline of the territorial sea of the United States seaward 200 miles.

Authority: Public Resources Code Section 71215(b)

Reference: Public Resources Code Sections 71200 and 71215

Section 2271. Fee Schedule for Exotic Species Control Fund

- (a) The fee required under Public Resources Code Section 71215 is two hundred dollars (\$200) per vessel voyage.
- (b)
  - (1) The Executive Officer of the California State Lands Commission shall invite representatives of persons and entities who must pay the fee required under Public Resources Code Section 71215 to participate in a technical advisory group to make recommendations regarding the amount of the fee, taking into account the provisions of Public Resources Code Sections 71200 through 71216.
  - (2) The technical advisory group shall meet on a regular basis after July 1, 2000, as determined by the group.

Authority: Public Resources Code Section 71215(b)

Reference: Public Resources Code Sections 71200 and 71215